IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

VERSUS

CRIMINAL NUMBER 1:16CR10HSO-RHW

ROBERT SIMMONS

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Notice is hereby given that Robert Simmons, Defendant in the above named case, hereby appeals to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit from the Judgment and Sentence entered against him in this matter by this Honorable Court on September 15, 2016.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED, this the 27th day of September, 2016.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, K.C. Hightower, do hereby certify that I have this date filed the above and foregoing **Notice of Appeal** with the ECF system which served copy upon:

All counsel of record registered with the ECF system. This, 27th day of September, 2016.

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